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EVALUATION OF CONTENT

1. SMA has asked a German expert in the Central Administration for Industry to draw up a plan to allow the Russians to use all machine-making plants in their zone to the best advantage. The plan submitted provides that all such plants employing more than 150 workers are to work exclusively on direct orders for the Red Army. All smaller plants would be used for reparations orders.

2. The following plants would be used for Red Army orders:

Conrad & Hempel
 Dehne
 *Deutsche Schway-Werke
 Max Friedrich & Co.
 Gebler-Werke
 Hallesche Maschinenfabrik
 Max Hunger
 Maschinenbau AG
 Imperial GmbH
 Julius Pintsch AG
 G.A. Schütz
 Wegelin & Hübner

Coswig
 Halle
 Bernburg
 Zwickau
 Radebeul
 Halle
 Dresden
 Grimma
 Meissen
 Berlin
 Wurzen
 Halle

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3. [REDACTED] Dr. Geer, head of the raw material planning section of the Düsseldorf Iron Union (Eisenverband), visited Karlshorst and effected an agreement on interzone trade on the following terms: The Iron Union is to deliver to SMA each month 250,000 t. cast iron, 60,000 t. rolled iron, 5,000 t. NE (non-ferrous) metals, 20,000 t. basic slag. SMA is to deliver 1,000 t. chemical basic materials, 3,000 t. sugar, 10,000 t. lime, 15,000 t. salt. SMA is also to make one delivery of 18,000 t. hydrogen peroxide by March 1947. Dr. Geer was reportedly well pleased by his treatment by the Russians and by the results of the negotiations.

* Chemical factory which may have been dismantled and reconverted to production of machinery.

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